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Hot suns mean burnt and tanned skins unless you have gate capital invested of \$1,168,000. In the Degislature, and surface in Virginia to gather and present to the L gislature the statistics of the various manu facturers and industrial plants in this season's a Parasols also at reduced prices.

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Rossavelt on Dewey. The Baltimore Sun says: Governor Roosevelt contributes to the October number of McClure's Magszine an appreciative article on Admiral Dewey. Governor Roosevelt was As stances governing Admiral D wey's during the period covered. command of the Asiatic Squadron amount paid for office help per mouth that paid in the preceding year. when the war with Spain broke out. | was \$78,379 64. This is not the fact. He was sent to command it in the fall of 1897, because, to use the very language employed at the time, it was deemed wise to have there a man 'who could go into Manila, if necessary. owed the appointment to the high professional reputation he enjoyed, and to the character he had established for willingness to accept re sponsibility, for sound judgment and very bright and business never betfor entire fearlessness. One factor in Admiral Dawey's appointment (of which he is very possibly ignorant) was the way in which he had taken responsibility in purchasing coal for the squadron that was to have been used against Chile, if war with Chile had broken out, at the time General Harrison was President." Dewey, with all his courage, skill and ability, could not have accomplished what he did "if he had not had first class vessels and excellently trained mer; if his warships had not been so good, and his captains and crews such thorough masters of their This excellence in personnel was "the result of years of steady training," while the excellence in ships was due to the interest manifested by several successive Secre.

thought, energy, courage and capac-

ity will be wasted unless at the su

preme moment some man of the he-

roic type arises capable of using to

the best advantage the powers lying ready to hand." Dewey measured

up to the emergency, and in Gov. Roosevelt's opinion "his name will

stand second to that of Farragut

and he "comes back to his native

land having won the right to a greet-

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canned taries of the Navy and "to the wis. dom of a succession of Con-gresses" by which the navy was strengthened and devolped. Had the "war with Spain broken out 15 years before it did—that is in the year 1883, before our new navy was built-it would have been physically impossible to get the results we act Governor Roosevelt ualiy did." holds, therefore, that "every officer and man, from the highest to the lowest, who did his full duty in raising the navy to the standard of efficiency it had reached on May 1, 1898, is entitled to feel some personal share in the glory won by Dewey and Dewey's men." But, al hough "the females \$1.10 for 8 hours. hero cannot win save for the fore-COTTON MILLS thought, onergy, courage and capacity of countless other men, yet we must bear in mind also that all this fore-

"Of the reports received from cot ton mills only 3 contained such data as could be tabulated. Returns from several others, however, showed that they had recently resumed operations, having been idle during the period covered by this report. Business was reported as little more encouraging. but one mill complained of the 10 hour law working to the disadvantage of goods during the year. The total number of employes in all branches

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Plants.

Commissioner Montague has been sompleted, to be submitted to the Governor, to be by him sent to the General Assembly when it assembles in Richmond on the first Wednesday in December. The office of Labor Commissioner was created at the last session of the Legislature, and Mc

The report makes a book of over 400 pages, and not only attempts to cover the reports from all of the various manufacturing establishments. but devotes space to each county in the State, showing the number farms, the products and the net profit formation, it gives other, which has capital invested of \$7,667,500 and

MANUFACTURING PLANTS.

sistant Secretary of the Navy when the operators of manufacturing plying to the inquiry as to the con-Admiral Dewey was chosen to com-mand the Asiatic Squadron and dur-returned. Of these 394 was tabu-prospects, only two concerns reporting the period of preparation for lated, and the remaining 296 found ed business unsatisfactory, while the movement against Manila, and to be insufficient, either in conse- some of the others thought prices too his article derives special interest quence of the meager data contained low, profits accordingly too small. from the fact that he had more than therein or the fact that certain of the Still, business was considered good ordinary knowledge of the circum establishments were not in operation and the future outlook bright. As

P. McCracken, Bro. & Co., number of admirals who during the and the total value of all goods man- the Commissioner's report does not GROCERS AND LIQUOR DEALERS.

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War unity o dozen years preceding the Spanish ufactured during the year 1897 was were retired without the oppor- \$22,872,659 09. The total number of ferred to is believed to be the ship. Nevertheless, when the chance does come, only the great man can see it instantly and use it aright" "It has been said." Governor Roosevelt continues, "that it was a mere accident that Dewey happened to be in command of the Asiatic Soundron amount paid for efficiency has been said." Soundron amount paid for efficiency has been said. The total amount paid for command of the Asiatic Soundron amount paid for efficiency has presented from establishments in the State showed that the number of days in operation in 1897 was \$500 more than in the preceding year, and the amount paid in wages total of \$404,163 42. The average in 1897 was \$50,461 57 in excess of acres, respectively.

AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS reported were only 4 out of 10 Those good, with an encouraging outlook reporting had an aggregate capital invested of \$142,708 84, and the total value of all goods manufactured dur- tabulation. The 22 used showed an ing the year of 1897 amounted to \$209,920.08. They report present conditions very good and prospects of 1897 valued at \$400,466.36.

ter. "Five breweries out of 12 reported show an aggregate capital of \$630,-000 and goods manufactured valued at \$549,871 08. Business reported prospects for future not considered so favorable.

" Of 22 manufacturers of canned goods throughout the State only 10 made returns, of which 7 were sufficiently complete for tabulation-Among the suggestions for the bet terment of business was that for the appointment of an inspector of can neries, whose duty shall be to enforce proper sanitary conditions and pre vent filthy and impure fruit being

Of the 12 cigar, cigarette and cheroot factories reported 10 were sufficiently complete for tabulation. The aggregate capital invested by the 10 concerns amounted to \$240,142. The two largest establishments in Virginia failed to give the value of goods manufactured during the year of 1897, but the total stock and material used during the year by the 10 factories amounted to \$1,382 216 30 The total number of days in operation in 1896 was 133 less than the preceding year, and the amount paid in wages during 1896 was \$297 942 77, or \$38,722 53 less than in 1897. The average daily wages paid eigarmakers was \$1 64 for an average of eight and two-fifths hours; cigarette makers, males, \$1 for 10 hours, and

goods manufactured during 1897 was men, boys and girls employed in the \$11,711 69. Business was reported as factories of Richmond.

FLOUR AND MEAL INDUSTRY.

"A larger number of reports were The first annual report of Labor from the flour and meal industry than The number of these reports, howfor tabulation. These incomplete bears of the market in town. enes showed an aggregate capital invested of little less than \$200,000. There were 64 reports sufficient for aging. Much complaint was made as to freight rates, the contention being that Western millers had rate privi leges which gave them considerable advantage over Virginia mills.

FOUNDRIES AND MACHINISTS. "The reports from iron foundries on each crop raised. Besides this in- and machinists showed an aggregate paid in wages in 1897 was \$795,816 51 "Of the 1,183 blank forms sent to in excess of the preceding year. Rean evidence of this one incorporated selection for that important field of operations. In his great achievement at Manila Dewey, he points out, "parily grasped and parily made his opportunity. There were a business amounted to \$22,691.799.75, and the total value of all goods man."

Melliwaine concern which in 1897 employed about 3 000 men increased its force panies and 285 from private firms.

The aggregate capital invested in business amounted to \$22,691.799.75, \$10.500.000 worth of goods. Though the total value of all goods man. "Of the 394 tabulated reports 109 concern which in 1897 employed

SAWMILL BUSINESS.

"With some exceptions, the saw "The agricultural manufacturers | mill business was reported as fairly for the future. Of the 36 reports returned 14 were too incomplete for

TOBACCO INDUSTRY.

" Of the 80 reports sent to manufacturers of tobacco only 28 were returned with sufficient information to be of material aid in this report. While these 28 reports do not, of course, represent the extent of the manufacture of tobacco in the State, still from them can be gathered a fair average of the rates of wages paid. With but one exception, the condition of business was reported good and the prospects for the future regarded as encouraging. Some complaint was made of the existence of tobacco trusts, which, it was contended, operated to the detriment of the smaller manufacturers. The 28 reports showed a capital of \$1,536,543 and goods manufactured during the

year of the value of \$2,180,505 83. "Oaly nine reports were received from the woolen mills, although trustee, lot last described, benefit of blanks were sent to quite a large O. S. Houseworth. number. These nine reports showed an aggregate capital of \$187,900, with goods manufactured valued at \$287,-

WOODEN WARE

"Reports received from manufacturers of wooden ware showed a fairly good condition of trade. This line of business, however, was to be seriously threatened by reason of the increased consumption four month ago, is convalescing slowof galvanized iron buckets, which were sold cheaper than the common. est grade of wooden ware. The capital invested by the five concerns was \$260 000, and the total output for 1897 amounted to \$525,460. 'The aggregate capital invested

by the nine establishments reported val meeting beginning Wednesday, at in the wood, paper and tin box the Methodist church. A feature of manufactures showed a capital of the meeting will be a large chorus \$365 623 69 and goods manufactured during the year of \$605,470.67. COLORED LABOR.

Statistical information with regard to the labor of colored p-ople Virginia, the Commissionof Virginia mills as compared to er's report says, is difficult to obtain those of other States, where longer and hard to verify. There is no orhours are worked. The reports from ganized labor among them. As bethese three milis showed an aggreture the black and white races gate capital invested of \$2.398,400, with an output of \$2,022.689.90 worth labor organization. For a short time some few negro laborers were connected with the Knights of Labor. was 2 277, of which 1,163 were males | There are fewer skilled laborers among and 1,063 females. Of these 295 them now than there were before males and 263 females were under 16 the war in proportion to numbers and years of age. The average wages opportunities, resulting no doubt paid in the different departments from the fact that children and youths were: Weaving room, males, \$1 22; are seldom taught the trades followfemales, 88 cents; cloth room, males, ed by their parents. In all branches of tob seco manufacture, except cher-The three reports from distilleries outs, digarettes and digar making, give an aggregate amount of capital they are employed in large numbers. inves ed of \$9 121 42 The value of In 1896 there were 8,000 men, wo-

ally so crowed on court day, was de serted. The reason for this appeared on another street where a patent med than one hundred, and without che k ing the flow of his elequence, was soon hand it out and rake the quarters in tives from Wallsce & Bro., Tho. Walnot on professional business bent.

We may also lay claims to R L Biscoe who boarded the train at Tinfrom any other industry in the State. ders from his country home, to which he retires every Sanday after the ever, were not sufficiently complete weekly struggle with the bulls and COURT PROCEEDING.

ted to Sheriff for administration. A special grand jury, consisting of Chas. A. Wangh, Foreman, J. L. Newman, P. J. Mallory, John C. Scott, J. T. Jennings, Jos. Wiltshire, A. W. Biscoe and B F Thompson, brought in an indictment against Philip Lindsay, colored, for breaking and entering heretofore been embraced in the re-goods manufactured during the year stre-house of A. M. Daniel in night ports of the Agricultural Department of 1897 valued at \$5,933,425.66. The time with intent to commit largery of the State. more than in 1896, and the amout was arraigned and pleaded guilty. Two years in the penitentiary.

Commonwealth vs. Wm, E Sission for selling intoxicating drinks on Sunday, not a true bill.

Wm R Boston, to John G. Williams, benefit of W. C. Graves, 122 acres adjoining C. G. Meckin.

P. P. Barbour, trustee, to Mrs. McIllwaine, lots, 48, 50, 54, 56, in Gordonsville. E. H. Frost and wife to Adolphus Chewning, 40 acres adjoining W. F.

Wright, land last described. Robt. Wright and wife to Charles E. Hunter, trustee, land last described. Jas. Lee and wife to Mrs. Virginia

Frank Hume, etc., to David P Hughes, land last described. Orville Bell and wife to Eliza Ann Thacker, 51/2 acres adjoining T. C.

Chas. Hellwig, etc., to Mrs. Mary L. Hansborough, lot in Orange, ad-

John G. Williams, special commis-

Jeff Wharton to E. B. Grymes, trustee, benefit of B J. Marshall, all his stock of groceries in his store in

NOTES. Political matters were not so much

Mr. James Willis, who broke his leg by falling from a wagon load of oats

Mrs. E A. McDonald has sold her handsome residence on Main street, to Dr. Holladay. W. P. Fife, the noted drammer

choir made up from all the churches, under charge of Mr. R. F. Johnson, of Chicago. The quarterly meeting of the Piedmont Medical Society was held. Dr.

evangelist, will conduct a union revi-

on aseptic surgery, after which an election of officers for the ensuing year was held, resulting in the election of Dr. B Hales, president; Dr. Stuart George W. Scott, secretary, and treasurer. of Charlottesville, who comes to se

The September term of Orange Court was held Monday The crowd usually seen on such occasions was not icine vendor heli a crowd of more selling his cure-all as fast as he could Fredericksburg contributed representalace and W. S. Embrey only, with Dr. B Hales as a sort of guest of honor,

J. C. Scott qualified as deputy treasurer of Orange county.

LIST OF WRITINGS.

Robt . Isaac Smith and wife to Geo.

Lumsden. Ann Lee, to trustees of Blue Run Baptist church, fifty-six hundredths of an acre adjourning W. H. Lynn. Ezekiel S. Dungan and wife to A. C. Murphy, 27912 acres adjoining J. B.

Daniel. Chas. E. Hunter, trustee, to John T. Kuight,28 acres adjoining T. J. Hatch. John T. Knight and wife to Robt.

Hume, 614 acres adjoining Virginia Wood.

joinging M. L. Covell.

sioner to E. T. Bobinson lot in Orange, north side of Church street E. T. Robinson to John G. Williams,

as mentioned during the day.

B. Hales, of this city, read a paper

Woolfork, vice-president, and Dr. On the return trip we were pleased to greet Newton Beckwith, Esq., now the Fair and participate in the Confederate reunion; also Messrs. Blight Harrison and Charles Burruss, of the Locust Dale Military Academy, taking a few days recreation from their books As the train left Orange a belated summer shower came down with great violence, turning the roads into mini-ature Red rivers. At other places hail fell, but no damage was reported.

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"Messages have been flashed 80

miles, but I do not care to say what will be the greatest distance messages can be sent. The experiments have proven that the curvature of the earth is overcome, for in sending the message between stations 80 miles apart the earth curvature, which is over 1 000 feet, has been overcome The station from which the message was sent was 70 feet high.

"I do not know the nature of the work that I shall do for the army and the navy, as the arrangements for my coming to this country were made hurriedly and by cable. The one who had the most to do with my coming here was General Greely. The tests will be conducted both on land and on sea."

MURIEL WILSON THERE. Among the passengers on the Ma-jestic was Miss Muriel Wilson, the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wilson, of Tranby Croft, England, who achieved notoriety in the baccarat scandal a few years ago. Sir Gordon Cumming, it will be recollected, brought action for libel because he was accused of cheating

toria. They will leave this evening or to-morrow for Newport. party expects to be in the city dur-Chas. S. Lumsden and wife to W. ing the Dewey celebration, and will I. Fatum, 24 acres adjoining R. M. afterward make a tour of the country, visiting Nisgara Falls, and wil go as far West as Colorado. Wilson is a brunette and handsome. She was attired in a flaming red habit, which reached to the bottom of her dress. About her neck she wore a heliotrope blue scarf. She is tall, with erect figure, has wavy bair and large, lustrous eyes. She is said to be one of the most accomplished amateur actresses in England and appeared on several occasions at Chatsworth at the Duke and Duchess

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